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Applicant:	BIN WEI)) Group Art Unit: 1724
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 28, 2006, and in accordance with the provisions under 37 CFR § 1.143, the Applicants submit the following election for further prosecution on the merits:

Election:

Applicants hereby provisionally elect, with traverse, Species 2 (corresponding to Drawing Figure 2). The following claims read on the embodiment depicted in Figure 1: claims 1-24.